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**TO ORTON PATTERSON**  
Olio Heard Patterson vs. Orton Pat-  
terson, et al.  
State of Tennessee, In Chancery  
Court of Knox County, No. 15738

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant, Orton Patterson is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of February next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him.

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**TO HENRY S. HINDLEY**  
M. J. Hindley vs. Henry S. Hindley  
State of Tennessee, In Chancery  
Court of Knox County, No. 15713

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant Henry S. Hindley is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that the defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of January next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him.

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This 9th day of December 1917  
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**TO WILL LEE**  
Susie Lee vs. Will Lee  
State of Tennessee, In Chancery  
Court of Knox County, No. 15722

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant Will Lee is a non-resident of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of January next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.

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**NON-RESIDENT ATTACHMENT NOTICE**  
**TO E. D. LINE**  
Reese Patterson vs. E. D. Line et al.  
State of Tennessee, In Chancery  
Court of Knox County, No. 15699

In this cause, it appearing from the original and amended bill filed which is sworn to, that the defendant, E. D. Line is justly indebted to the plaintiff, Reese Patterson is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, and attachment having been issued and levied on the defendants' property, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of January next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to them. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.

This 4th day of December 1917  
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Harry S. Hall, Sol.  
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**LATE NEWS**  
CONDENSED  
Happenings Over  
Commonwealth  
as Gleaned from  
Various Places

Dyersburg.—Watkins Ewell, first Dyersburg youngster to be adopted by a French orphan.

Lexington.—The Henderson teachers' association will hold session in the college hall Dec. 22.

Knoxville.—Knoxville is covered by a blanket of snow four inches deep, the heaviest in thirty-one years.

Franklin.—John Gallavin, a recent contractor of this place, one of his arms by falling on a pavement.

Jackson.—Col. R. S. Fletcher has been called to Fort Bayard, where his nephew, John T. Fletcher is critically ill.

Memphis.—The heaviest ice that have passed Memphis in years are floating slowly down the Mississippi river.

Bristol.—George K. McClellan, circulation manager of the Bristol Herald-Tribune, has volunteered for service in the medical corps.

Pulaski.—Mrs. Isla Williams, United States demonstrator of home economics, has organized a club of thirty members here.

Mt. Pleasant.—Dr. G. C. E. has who has received a commission to go to Fort Oglethorpe. Dr. E. is a graduate of Vanderbilt school.

Jackson.—Miss Callie McGinnis, an esteemed and popular teacher in the Jackson high school, fell upon a street while returning from school broke her left arm.

Newbern.—Henry J. Swindell, serving Newbern as mayor for years, has retired voluntarily from the office. The newly-elected is Ike N. Williams.

Spring Hill.—The Y. W. C. fund campaign met with an enthusiastic response here, the women, headed by Percy and Haynes Ayres, raising \$3.

Knoxville.—Francis Burdette, a gunner on the U. S. S. "Albatross", was killed at sea, Dec. 2 of heart failure according to information received from the young man's father, Gustav.

Paris.—The pupils of the Walker Porter public school have in a bank \$75 which was raised by selling buttons and observing penny days. This fund will be used for the Red Cross, Allied Relief and French orphans.

Memphis.—In United States district court for the western district of Tennessee, Dr. Benjamin Friedman and Leon S. and J. N. Thompson, druggists, were convicted by a jury of conspiracy to violate the Harrison anti-narcotic law on two counts. Each count carries a maximum penalty of two years' imprisonment and \$10,000 fine for each of the defendants.

Chattanooga.—A woman registered at a local hotel as Baronesa Loma Wilhelmia Sutton Zollner, was arrested by federal authorities and is being held as a dangerous enemy alien. The woman, when questioned, told officers her husband was a baron and that when she last saw him he was a captain in the German army. The prisoner has been here for several days.

Chattanooga.—More than a hundred leather workers who have been on strike since October, 1916, have returned to work in the plant of the Southern Saddle Company. Settlement of the strike was announced by Frederick G. Davis of the federal bureau of conciliation.

Jackson.—Madison lodge of L. O. O. F. has elected officers for the new year, as follows: R. C. Smith, noble grand; J. J. Christie, vice grand; G. C. Wilkerson, treasurer, and C. F. Landis, secretary. With his re-election, C. F. Landis begins his thirty-eighth consecutive year as secretary.

Memphis.—The Y. W. C. inaugurated the Memphis campaign for its share of \$10,000 of the \$4,000,000 war relief fund at a meeting held at the Business and Professional Women's club.

Gallatin.—W. Y. Allen of Gallatin has been appointed by state Director Thomas R. Preston of Chattanooga as chairman of the war savings certificate campaign, which has been launched in Sumner county.

Memphis.—This city may become one of the points in the south where small ships and barges will be constructed for the government as a result of the federal shipping board in Washington setting aside an appropriation of \$4,360,000 to be used in the construction of barges and tugboats for use on the Mississippi river to relieve the heavy railroad traffic.

Money, reads the telegram from Washington, will be expended under the joint supervision of the emergency fleet corporation and the engineer's office of the army.

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Washington.—The packing industry will be put under the searchlight of the Federal Trade Commission's investigation powers at open hearings. Unless they come of their own volition, representatives of the country's five great packing families will not be present, as the commission announced that subpoenas would not be issued for them. While the commission gave no explanation of its decision, some officials called attention to the possibility of giving immunity to persons giving testimony on which future prosecutions might be based. The specific question at issue and in subsequent hearings to be held in New York, Boston and probably Chicago, will be the ownership of the Chicago Stock Yards and the Chicago terminal railroads. The National Cattleman's Association at various times has charged intercorporate relations between the yards, the roads and the packing plants. The packers have contended that they owned no stock in the yards or the roads, and that their businesses were conducted without other than legitimate relations with the great cattle market and the terminal transportation facilities. There had been no intention of the proposed hearing until the formal announcement was made. Since the commission began its investigation of food supply conditions under authority of the Congress and with an appropriation of \$250,000, however, almost its entire force of investigators has been devoted to the meat industry. Interest in prospective disclosures centers in documentary evidence which the commission has announced will be introduced, without giving any hint of its nature. Francis J. Heney, special counsel, will be in charge of the hearings.

**Senate Military Committee Inquiry.**

Washington.—Heads of large private munitions plants told the Senate Military Committee how production of rifles and machine guns for the army was delayed during the early days of the nation's entrance into the war, but now is being speeded up. The manufacturers, speaking before the committee in its searching war inquiry, praised both types of American weapons.

They told of private enterprise in anticipation of the nation's war necessities, and one of them criticized the Ordnance Bureau for alleged indifference to the probability of war. He said the department heads brusquely declined to consider ordering machine guns immediately after the German Ambassador had been dismissed. Orders for rifles placed several months after war was declared, the manufacturers were agreed, are far ahead of contracted deliveries without yet reaching maximum factory capacity.

**Porto Rican Editor Sentenced.**

San Juan, Porto Rico.—Vincent E. Balbas, editor of Revista de las Antillas, who was found guilty recently by a jury in the United States District Court on four out of five charges in connection with articles appearing in his newspapers, was sentenced to eight years imprisonment and a fine of \$4,000—two years and \$1,000 on each of the counts. The Court ordered that Balbas shall be confined in the prison at Atlanta. He will be the first Federal prisoner ever sent to prison outside the island.

**Carry Off Famous Church Treasure.**

Washington.—An official dispatch received here from France, says the Turks before surrendering Jerusalem to the British brutally mistreated Christian priests, carried off the famous treasure of the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, valued at millions of dollars, and sent to Berlin the church's celebrated Ostensory of brilliant. The Church of the Holy Sepulchre had remained unmolested heretofore during all the centuries of Moslem occupation of Jerusalem.

**Pro-Germans Resign.**

New Orleans, La.—Two members of the Cotton Exchange, with pro-German sympathies, resigned, and other resignations are expected.

**Clubhouse Burned.**

Lakewood, N. J.—The Lakewood Country Club was destroyed by fire. The property loss is estimated at upward of \$100,000.

**Another Bazaar Scandal!**

New York.—Charges that only \$13,000 of \$60,000 raised at the Italian bazaar held here in November, 1916, went to destitute families of Italian soldiers, placed in possession of the District Attorney, elicited from him promise of an investigation.

**Injured By Explosion.**

Whitesburg, Ky.—Two men were fatally injured and a number of others less seriously hurt in a powder explosion on construction work near here.

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**Non-Resident Attachment Notice**  
E. R. Wilson, vs. J. H. Burchfield  
No. 4132

Before Frank Murphy Justice of the Peace for Knox County, Tenn.  
In this cause, it appearing from the affidavit filed, which is sworn to, that defendant J. H. Burchfield is justly indebted to plaintiff and that he is a non-resident of Tennessee so that ordinary process cannot be served upon him, and an original attachment having been issued and returned to me with levy upon his property, it is therefore ordered that publication be made in the Knoxville Independent, a newspaper published in the city of Knoxville, for four consecutive weeks, commanding the defendant to appear before me at my office in Knoxville, Tennessee, on the 4th day of Jan. 1918, and make defense to said suit, or same will be proceeded with ex parte. This 8th day of Dec. 1917  
FRANK MURPHY Justice of the Peace for Knox County, Tennessee.  
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**TO FLORA E. FORD**

Harry W. Ford vs. Flora E. Ford,  
State of Tennessee, In Chancery  
Court of Knox County, No. 15716

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed which is sworn to, that the defendant, Flora E. Ford, is a non-resident of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon her it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of January next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to her. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.

This 14th day of December 1917  
J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master.  
W. B. Ford, Sol.  
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**TO FRED KLINE**

Aea. Kline vs. Fred Kline  
State of Tennessee, In Chancery  
Court of Knox County, No. 15710

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed which is sworn to, that the defendant, Fred Kline is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of January next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.

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S. E. Hodges, Sol.  
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**TO FRED ANDERSON**

Victoria Anderson vs. Fred Anderson  
State of Tennessee, In Chancery  
Court of Knox County, No. 15712

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed which is sworn to, that the defendant, Fred Anderson is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of January next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.

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In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendants, Roberta Strong Daft, Edward Daft, Annie Marks Vincent, George Vincent, and Alexander Monday are non-residents of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon them, it is ordered that said defendants appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of January next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to them. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.

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**TO EDWARD DAFT, ROBERTA STRONG DAFT, GEORGE VINCENT, ALEXANDER MONDAY AND ANNIE MARKS VINCENT**

Albert N. Strong vs. G. H. Strong et al.

State of Tennessee, In Chancery Court of Knox County, No. 15704

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendants, Roberta Strong Daft, Edward Daft, Annie Marks Vincent, George Vincent, and Alexander Monday are non-residents of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon them, it is ordered that said defendants appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of January next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to them. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.

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Albert N. Strong vs. G. H. Strong et al.

State of Tennessee, In Chancery Court of Knox County, No. 15737

In this cause it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendants Edward Daft, Roberta Strong Daft, Annie Marks Vincent, George Vincent and Alexander Monday are non residents of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon them, it is ordered that said defendants appear before the Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of February next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and set for hearing, ex parte, as to them. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.

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